

## Message Text

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ACTION SS-15

INFO OCT-01 NEA-10 ISO-00 L-03 SSO-00 /029 W  
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R 130242Z JUN 77  
FM AMEMBASSY TEHRAN  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 3014

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FOR DEPUTY SECRETARY CHRISTOPHER AND LEGAL ADVISER HANSELL  
FROM SULLIVAN

EO 11652: N/A  
TAGS: AINF  
SUBJ: REQUEST FOR FILE

1. ACCORDING TEHRAN PRESS REPORT WITH WASHINGTON DATELINE,  
JUSTICE DEPARTMENT SPOKESMAN ANNOUNCED JUNE 8 THAT DEPUTY  
ATTORNEY GENERAL PETER FLAHERTY INSTRUCTED DEPARTMENT ATTORNEYS  
THAT THE "LAW ENFORCEMENT EXEMPTION" OF THE FREEDOM OF INFORMA-  
TION ACT COULD NO LONGER BE USED TO WITHHOLD INFORMATION"  
"BY SUCH MEANS AS ILLEGAL WIRETAPS OR UNAUTHORIZED SEARCHES."

2. I ASSUME THIS MEANS THAT THE PREVIOUS DECISION BY JUSTICE  
TO DENY ME THE FILE ON THE ILLEGAL WIRETAPS ON MY TELEPHONES  
HAS BEEN RESCINDED. THEREFORE, I WOULD REQUEST THAT YOU  
RENEW, ON MY BEHALF, MY PREVIOUS REQUEST TO OBTAIN THE  
ENTIRE FILE AND FURTHER REQUEST THAT IT BE SENT, IN ITS  
ENTIRETY, TO ME IN TEHRAN. IN MAKING THIS REQUEST, I WISH  
TO SPECIFY THAT JUSTICE SHOULD NOT RPT NOT DESTROY, DELETE  
OR REMOVE ANYTHING FROM THE FILES.

3. ONCE I HAVE RECEIVED AND REVIEWED THE FILES, I SHALL  
COMMUNICATE FURTHER ON WHATEVER ACTION I DECIDE TO TAKE ON  
THIS SUBJECT.

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## Message Attributes

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